

Biography--Troy Riggs

Troy Riggs joined Mayor Ballard's team in October of 2012. Since his arrival, he has strengthened the relationship between the Department of Public Safety and the community, established goals and objectives, introduced efficiency teams to review over 25 critical issues facing the city, and has worked to streamline operations while enhancing productivity.

Director Riggs comes to Indy with more than 20 years of public safety experience. His public service includes serving as an Assistant City Manager and Chief of Police in Corpus Christi, Texas; additionally, he served 20 years in Louisville, Kentucky, working his way from recruit to Assistant Chief/Chief of Staff. He has also served as a press secretary for a Judge/Executive and has been a liaison to local, state, and federal governments.

During his career, he worked on a successful government merger referendum, assisted with the merger of government services, established best practices in community policing, expanded citizen engagement with the government, and developed efficiencies while increasing productiveness.

Troy has an EMBA from Sullivan University and a Political Science degree from the University of Louisville. He has been married to Kara for more than 20 years. They have two sons, David and Caleb.

